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**Amendment and Response Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 OR 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 18, 2004, setting a three month shortened statutory period for response, please amend the above-identified patent application as follows:



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- ☒ Petition for two Month Extension of Time and check in the amount of \$450.00
- ☒ Amendment and Response to Office Action
- ☒ Transmittal Sheet
- ☒ Return postcard

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